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**WEATHER**  
Arkansas — Fair with frost and probably freezing temperature Tuesday night; Wednesday fair and warmer.

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## SENATE BEATS EXCISE BILL

### Here and There

Editorial By ALEX. H. WASHBURN

THE Arkansas legislature is facing adjournment Thursday noon with a deadlock over the vital question of financing the schools and public relief. A 60-day session has been consumed without reaching any agreement between the two houses, and as this is written less than 48 hours remains for Governor Futrell to throw the full weight of his administration toward breaking the deadlock.

### Attack in Senate Threatens Future of NRA Structure

Entire Code Organization Menaced by Flood of Complaints

### HEARINGS OPPOSED

Richberg Fears Endless Delay If Individuals Should Testify

WASHINGTON.—(AP)—The cross-fire on NRA from both liberal and conservative elements in the senate gained such momentum Monday that the current investigation of the recovery organization appeared a definite threat to the agency's future.

From indications the inquiry will go on indefinitely. The organization once headed by Hugh S. Johnson expires June 16 unless legislative provision has been made for its continuance meanwhile.

Despite administration efforts to speed up the hearing, senators delayed Donald Richberg, director of the National Emergency Council, with requests for further information on the operation of NRA, demanding that numberless complaints against the codes be called to testify.

Richberg, NRA spokesman, replied that NRA had increased labor's share of the national income, increased purchasing power generally, and protected the small business man. He said the aggregate cost of administering codes was about \$41,000,000 a year, but contended that this was less than one per cent of the sales involved.

"Pittsburgh-Plus" Plan

The NRA argument was heard on the senate floor after Senator Bankhead, Democrat, Alabama, introduced a bill to outlaw the "Pittsburgh-plus" plan for fixing steel prices. He said the price plan had been reinstated in the steel code after being dropped under a Federal Trade Commission order of 1934.

"If these masters of finance can so manage the administrators of the codes as to permit these practices," Senator Lewis, Democrat, Illinois, said, "there should be indictments issued."

Senator Borah, Republican, Idaho, one of NRA's foremost enemies, said the steel code permitted the "Pittsburgh-plus" plan. He charged that steel prices had been raised in some "as much as 800 per cent."

"Pittsburgh-plus," Borah said, results in added freight rates when steel is purchased outside the Pennsylvania city.

Opposed to Hearing

A crowd which packed the finance committee room for the third day of the NRA investigation found the very law's critics eager for a hearing for business men with complaints.

Senator King, Democrat, Utah, demanded that lawyers be employed with "legitimate and valid complaints," he called to testify. He criticized the efforts of NRA to "bolster up" its case.

Richberg replied that if the committee attempted to go into every complaint the job would be longer than members of the committee would live.

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FLAPPER FANNY SAYS:

HEG. U.S. PAT. OFF.



You took in a mirror to make sure you saw your reflections on your face.

### Roosevelt Calls for Regulation of Holding Concerns

Sends Message to Congress Striking at Great Utility Combines

### CONGRESS AT ODDS

Relief Bugged Down in Senate—Long Rips Away at President

WASHINGTON.—(AP)—A special message calling for regulation of public utility holding companies went from President Roosevelt Tuesday to congress, which is already involved in a host of legislative controversies.

The legislators learned, with some surprise, that the president has virtually decided to make his annual fishing cruise off the Florida coast the latter part of the month.

The senate is still embroiled over the work relief bill.

The social security program is apparently at a standstill in both houses. The house received a bill which provides for funds for an air base in Hawaii, and other bills providing for greater activity by the Coast Guard against smuggling, and for more liberal pensions and other veterans' compensations.

Long Flays Relief

WASHINGTON.—(AP)—Unusually and unexpectedly silent for most of the day, Senator Huey P. Long late Monday joined in renewed debate over the administration's \$4,880,000,000 work relief bill to charge it would be used where "it will do the most good" politically.

Senator Norris, Republican, Nebraska, warned that "we ought to avoid getting in the position of having a pork barrel bill."

Up jumped Long. He protested the bill's grant of power to President Roosevelt, asserting it would "set up mere spending and constructing organizations than the 48 states now have," and then turning to Norris, added:

"It is just a question of who is going to do the pork barreling. Congress ought to do it. The executives or bureaucrats are going to say where it will be spent. You can't get rid of the pork barrel work."

"Does anybody think that fund can be kept out of politics with him spending it?" Long said, referring to the president.

"Is it fair with the elections coming on—to give him \$5,000,000,000 to spend as he wishes. I am not trying to criticize, it would be the same in any country."

"They don't spend election money down South," he said, emphasizing his contention it would be used "where it is needed."

"They do in Tennessee because it's doubtful once in a while," he added. "But they don't spend any in Louisiana or other Southern states—they always go Democratic."

### 9 Skiers Killed by an Avalanche

Tragedy Stalks Party of 25 on Outing in Austrian Mountains

GRAZ, Austria.—(AP)—Four women and five men, all members of a ski club on an outing here, were killed Tuesday by an avalanche.

Fourteen of the 25 skiers in the party were swept away, but five were rescued after being carried several hundred yards.

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THE NEW DEAL IN WASHINGTON

BY RODNEY DUTCHER

WASHINGTON.—Roosevelt's official family as well as his congressional majority has been split by the issue of his mind for a low "subsistence" wage scale on federal projects under his \$1,880,000,000 program, had to choose between a formidable group of liberal officials backed by labor organizations and a strong conservative group backed by business and financial interests which in general opposed the program itself.

Since the senate tied the work-relief bill in a snarl by voting for the McCarran "prevailing wage" amendment, some members of the former group have been urging Roosevelt to make concessions.

One strong nucleus of advisers has urged that this is the time to demand a reduction in building materials prices along with a cut of high wages in the building trades, and put work-relief wages high enough to leave no substantial difference between those paid to public works labor and those to private works labor.

All Must Sacrifice

The idea is to stimulate production, construction, and employment by

### Cotton Holds Own But Stocks Fall \$1 to \$2 a Share

Selling Sweeps New York Stock Exchange After Cotton Crash

### F. D. R. WILL SPEAK

To Be No Change in Government Program, Washington Hears

NEW YORK.—(AP)—The cotton market recovered from Monday's acute weakness Tuesday, but stocks went into a late slump which carried the average price level to a new low for 1935.

Futures prices on the New York Cotton Exchange fluctuated excitedly throughout the session and closed 35 cents lower to 5 cents higher, after Monday's net losses of \$4.80 to \$5.95 a bale.

Active selling swept into the New York Stock Exchange in late trading, depressing several prominent industrial issues \$1 to \$2 a share, and a few thinly-traded stocks lost as much as \$4 to \$5.

Bond prices also declined. Public utility issues were notably weak but virtually all groups were under pressure.

The Chicago grain market, like New York cotton, stabilized. Closing prices for wheat and corn futures showed negligible changes from Monday's close.

In Washington, Senator Smith, South Carolina Democrat, said he understood President Roosevelt would issue a statement during the day "reassuring the nation that there will be no changes in the government's cotton policy."

AAA Confident

WASHINGTON.—(AP)—The precipitate drop in cotton prices Monday was followed by the schedule of a conference for Tuesday between the president and Senators Smith, Democrat, South Carolina, and Bankhead, Democrat, Alabama.

Smith, chairman of the senate agriculture committee, said he had several proposals in mind to prevent another price slide, among them the imposing of 5,500,000 bales of cotton in which the government holds an equity, until the prices rise.

Concern was expressed in congressional circles over the price descent but the feeling apparently was not shared by Department of Agriculture officials.

Senator Smith said he felt the Treasury Department's announcement that it would retire \$675,000,000 of bonds with a part of its so-called "profit" on gold might have contributed to the slump.

Others, including Senator Bankhead, held that the decline was due to a misinterpretation of the effects of the Doney bill which proposed exemption to tenants and sharecroppers from provisions of the Bankhead compulsory central act. Still others held it resulted from rumors that no government bonds would be made on the 1935 crop. Senator Thomas, Democrat, Oklahoma, expressed belief that competition from "cheap money" countries caused the break.

AAA officials said privately that the drop was primarily due to a weak technical position among speculators and that farmers would not be affected since they have little cotton now on hand.

They let it be known, however, that the Commodity Credit Corporation probably would extend the present maturity date on 12-cent cotton loans, July 31, 1935, for several months and that it was possible another loan would

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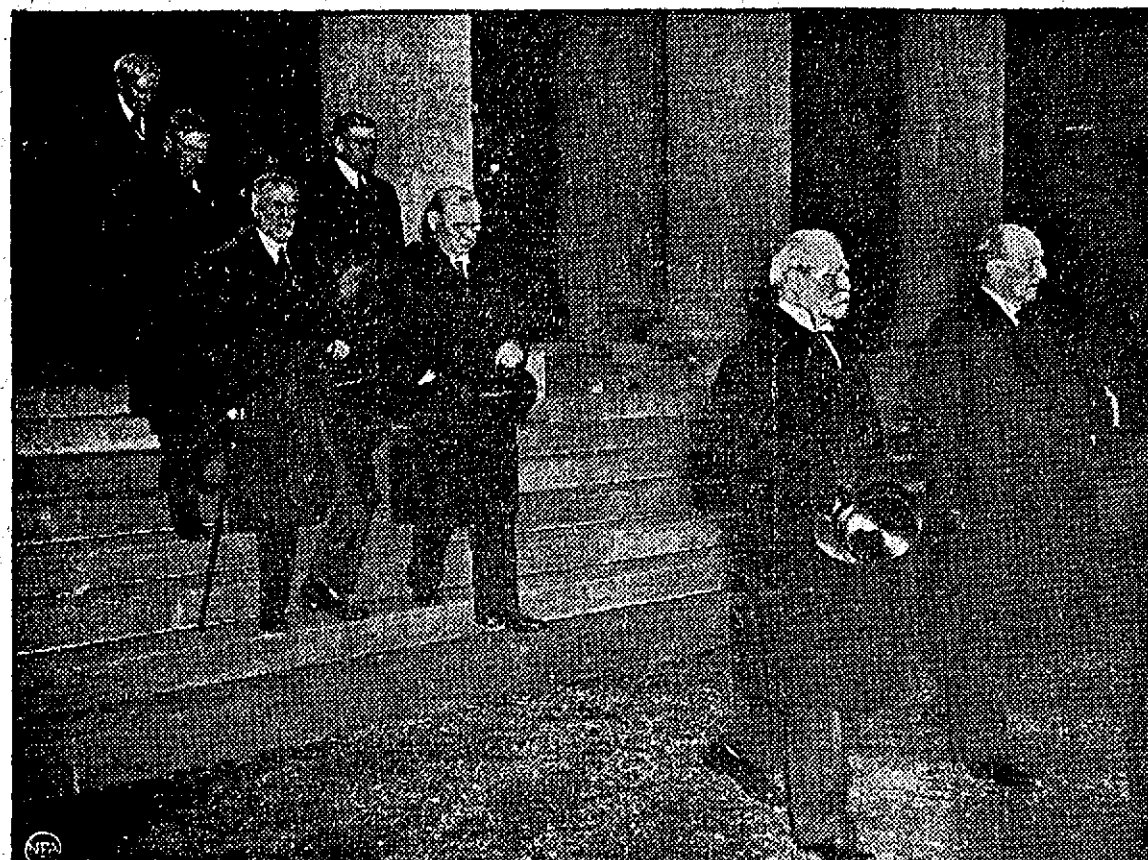
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### Holmes Goes to His Last Rest



Seven justices of the United States Supreme Court, their last sorrowful farewell bidden to Oliver Wendell Holmes, are shown here as they left All Souls Unitarian church in Washington, following services for America's best-beloved legal authority. Left to right are Justices Benjamin N. Cardozo, Harlan F. Stone, George Sutherland, Owen J. Roberts, Pierce Butler, Charles Evans Hughes and James C. McReynolds. The two other justices were absent, Willis Van Devanter being ill and Louis D. Brandeis too grief-stricken to attend.

### Officers Disperse Hunger Marchers

Tear-Gas Bomb Threat Is Effective in Oklahoma Courthouse

MALESTER, Okla.—(AP)—Under threat of a tear-gas barrage, more than 200 men, women and children "hunger marchers" were ousted Tuesday from the courthouse where they had threatened to stay until they were given food, clothing and jobs.

The demonstrators—unemployed miners and farmers and their families—who had occupied the courthouse since last Friday, offered no resistance when city and county officers appeared early Tuesday and threatened to release gas bombs unless the place was cleared within an hour.

### New Anti-Jewish Threat in Reich

Nazi Party Fails to Heed Speeches of Its Economic Advisors

BERLIN, Germany.—(AP)—Evidence that a new wave of anti-Semitism is sweeping Germany is contained in weekly publications of various sorts appearing on the newsstands these days.

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Cuban Unions Are Ordered Dissolved

Government Hits Back at Communists Sponsoring Revolution

HAVANA, Cuba.—(AP)—The government by presidential decree dissolved Monday night all labor unions supporting the nationwide revolutionary strike.

Smuggling out the Communist National Confederation, the decree ruled that membership in any group affiliated with that organization would be considered an act against "the peace and tranquility of the state."

Havana and the entire island suffered almost a total commercial paralysis under a state of war declared by President Carlos Mendive.

Victoriously violent deaths in the capital brought to 10 the number killed in a week-end of wild disorder. Five bodies were found in the exclusive residential suburb of Marianao and a wounded man died in a hospital. Four were killed Saturday night and Sunday.

Most of the island was without transportation without ice, without mail or newspapers, as union after union joined the drive for a nationwide strike, against which the government was battling for its life.

### Bulletins

TUPELO, Miss.—(AP)—A windstorm hit Pontotoc, 26 miles west of here Monday night, damaging about 20 houses and injuring two persons. Plate glass windows in the business section were shattered.

### City Licenses on Sale to April 10

Price Is \$2.50 Per Car—Penalty Applies After 10th of Month

The deadline for purchase of city automobile license tags without penalty expires April 10. City Treasurer Charles Reynerson announced Tuesday.

Tags for the year 1935 may be purchased on any model car for \$2.50. Plates went on sale January 5. A total of 72 had been sold up to Tuesday.

Sale of licenses this year is expected to exceed 750, Mr. Reynerson said. Last year 679 were purchased as compared to 613 for the year 1933.

### Presbyterians to Elect on Tuesday

A. E. Stonequist and Nick Jewell in Charge of Men's Meeting

New officers will be elected and installed Tuesday night at the monthly meeting of the Men's class of First Presbyterian church.

A. E. Stonequist has charge of the program, with Nick Jewell in charge of music.

Herbert Morley, retiring president, has returned from his new home at Moreillon, and will preside. The meeting starts at 6:45 p. m. and will be held at the church.

### Sales Tax Is for Schools and Relief

Missouri Splits It 50-50—Old Kentucky Law Held Illegal

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo.—(AP)—A revised plan for earmarking revenue from a 2 per cent sales tax had been prepared Monday by administration officials for submission to the house today. The new plan, expected to be one of the first amendments submitted when the sales tax question is taken up, is similar to the previous method of allocation, but changes the plan for apportioning funds to the schools.

Under the previous plan, many rural sections said the proposal to require school districts to reduce their property taxes in proportion to the amount

### Rules Announced for Stunt Night

Annual Glee Club Program at High School 7:30 Friday Night

Rules for the annual Gleeclub Stunt night program Friday at Hope High School were announced Tuesday as follows:

1. Program will be held Friday night at 7:30 o'clock at the high school auditorium.

2. Any club or organization in Hope may enter a stunt in this contest.

3. Time limit is eight minutes, but participants are urged to use less time if possible.

4. Prizes will be given as follows: \$5.00—Best all-around stunt; civic or church organization. \$5.00—Best all-around stunt; school club. \$1.00—Second prize; civic club or organization. \$1.00—Second prize; school club.

5. Stunt will be judged on: 1. selection, 2. presentation, 3. applause from the audience.

6. Three judges will be selected to decide winning stunt.

7. Judges decision will be final.

8. Stunts must be registered with Mrs. John Wellborn not later than Wednesday night.

9. Participants are responsible for their own stage properties.

10. Three passes shall be given each group entering a stunt. If more persons participate in the stunts, tickets must be purchased.

11. Club groups wishing to rehearse on Friday are to register at high school for the use of the auditorium.

### Thomas Hits Both Robinson and Long

Socialist Leader Ridicules Huey's Share-the-Wealth Idea

NEW YORK.—(AP)—Norman Thomas left Monday for a tour of the cotton country of Arkansas to lend his support to the unionization of sharecroppers. The Socialist party leader, who has played an active part in the organization of the Southern Tenant Farmers Union, will address meetings in northeast Arkansas, the scene of recent arrests of union members and organizers.

"This union," Thomas said before his departure, "is the only hope in one of the most desperate situations in America."

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### Legislative Hopes Turn Once More to the Sales Tax

Two Houses Embroiled, Each Favoring Different Tax Measure

### RELIEF, EDUCATION

Sales Tax Advocate Leads Attack on Excise Bill in Upper Chamber

LITTLE ROCK.—(AP)—The senate Tuesday defeated the Campbell-Moore excise tax bill—commonly referred to as the "hair apparent to the sales tax"—by a vote of 22 to 11 after a sharp debate.

Senator Thompson, co-sponsor of the Hall 2 per cent sales tax bill, called up the Campbell-Moore bill with the statement that he wanted to defeat the measure to show that it did not meet the approval of the senate.

He declared he wanted to prevent the house from "getting away with the idea that an excise tax would be an acceptable substitute for the sales tax."

The excise tax had been offered in the house as a substitute for the Hall sales tax measure, after the latter had been amended to exempt staples, foods, and drugs.

Both measures are designed to provide revenue for relief purposes and the public schools.

The house session, which was brightened by a personal encounter between McCollum of Monroe county and Butt of Carroll county, devoted its time to consideration of house amendments to the appropriation bills.

Speaker Thorne said that when consideration of the amendments had been completed the house would take up final action on the Hall 2 per cent sales tax bill.

The house, working through the luncheon period, rejected an amendment which would have reduced the salary of the University of Arkansas physicians.

Another amendment, providing for the reduction of the commissioner of education's salary, was adopted.

Excise Tax Passes

LITTLE ROCK.—The house Monday passed a bill by Campbell of Garland, Moore of Desha and others, which its sponsors said would produce \$1,000,000 to \$1,500,000 for common schools and unemployables.

The bill was introduced to supplant a sales tax measure which has passed the senate but has been "amended to pieces" in the house. However, sponsors of the sales tax bill in the house declared Monday night that passage of the Campbell-Moore excise tax measure would not prevent bringing up of the Hall sales tax bill Tuesday.

The Campbell-Moore bill would levy a three per cent excise or privilege tax on electricity, natural gas and water and intra-state telephone and telegraph service; a 20 per cent tax on punchboards, a 20 per cent tax on soft drinks and a tax of five cents on each deck of playing cards costing up to 50 cents.

The bill provides: "All sums collected hereunder shall be paid into the state treasury to the credit of the common school fund and the general revenue fund. Such part as goes to the general revenue fund shall be subject to such appropriation as may be made for unemployable relief, but the remaining 50 per cent allotted to the public schools shall be used for no other purpose." The act would be effective until June 1, 1937.

An amendment, by Northeast of Fulton and Cowart of Baxter striking a section from the bill which would have levied a tax of two cents on each check drawn on a state or national bank, was adopted before discussion of the measure was begun.

Thompson of Hempstead county voted for the bill, while Pilkinton of Hempstead opposed it.

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### Markets

NEW ORLEANS.—(AP)—An overnight accumulation of selling orders poured into the cotton market at the opening Tuesday but they were well absorbed by the trade and after opening from 17 points lower to four points higher the market rallied and ruled from four to eight points higher in the early trading.

Margin calls sent out after Monday's drastic shakeout were largely responsible for the early selling, but as offerings were taken in a good manner, prices improved.

March opened at 10.85, May at 11.00 to 11.10, July at 11.10 to 11.11 and October at 10.65 to 10.75, but quickly advanced until gains of a few points were shown by all contracts.

Trading still was running at a high pitch after Monday's intensive activity of selling which left the market more than \$5 a bale lower for the day. A better Liverpool market than had been expected aided Tuesday's bullish sentiment.



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## YOUR HEALTH

By DR. MORRIS FISHER

Editor, Journal of the American Medical Association, and of Hygiene, the Health Magazine

Crowding Aids the Spread of Meningitis Germs

At this season of year, the diseases most particularly prevalent are meningitis, measles, and scarlet fever. Cases of meningitis are now being reported throughout the country, particularly where people are crowded together in barracks. There have been cases in Kentucky among workers in government camps. Cases also have been reported throughout the country in barracks in which men, on relief are being crowded together.

Since meningitis spreads from person to person, the crowding of human beings in shelter houses under bad sanitary conditions inevitably sets up trouble with this disease. The men who come into such shelters are not usually examined to determine the presence of an infection or even of the likelihood that they may be carrying an infection.

Laboratory tests are necessary to determine the presence of carriers who move from place to place, spreading the disease. Meningitis is caused by a germ. This germ may be carried in nose and throat by healthy persons who spread it to others. During cold weather, the close contacts brought about by living indoors and the increased spreading of the germs of the nose and throat due to coughs and colds, step up the meningitis rate.

Meningitis is always more prevalent among the poor who live in close quarters and in conditions of bad sanitation.

While infants and children are most likely to catch the disease, older people catch it especially when they are run down or when they come together under wrong conditions.

Meningitis is particularly dangerous because it attacks the nervous system, resulting in paralysis and leading not infrequently to death. Fortunately a serum has been developed which may be injected into the spine in cases of meningitis, and acts specifically against the germs and their poisons. It is now recognized that there are several varieties of meningitis and new types of serum are being developed to meet different varieties of the disease.

Health officers and persons in charge of these shelters in which these cases develop must avoid overcrowding if possible. There should be sufficient space between beds to prevent spreading of germs from one person to another by ordinary coughing and sneezing.

It is also exceedingly important that sufficient warmth be provided in these shelters to prevent chilling with the associated increased likelihood of breaking down resistance to infection.

## A BOOK A DAY

By BRUCE CATTON

This Horror Tale is a Bit Too Literary—There Are Chills in It, but It's Rather Confusing

"I Am Your Brother," by Gabriel Marcel, is a horror story with the one defect that it is just a little too literary to be entirely convincing. It tells about a young London musician, who lives in a gloomy old house with his half-cracked mother. Up in an attic room, unknown to him, is lodged a horrible, misshapen monster, product of some weird experimentation in embryology by an inquisitive scientist.

The mother, who keeps the existence of this hideous freak a dark secret, is killed in a traffic accident. The young musician, who has been high in the clouds as he struggles to complete a new symphony, suddenly discovers the creature's existence—discovers that it is his own brother and that he is responsible for it.

Naturally, this leads to some pretty dreadful complications. His efforts to hide his secret, the mental strain which leads him to the edge of insanity, his final, fumbling attempt to put the crawling horror out of existence and hide its body somewhere, make blood-chilling reading.

The story's trouble is that in a laudable effort to impart a nightmare

## REMEMBER

Lenten Services, St. Mark's Church, Hope. Rev. Charles C. Jones, Pastor. Thursdays during Lent—Eucharist 7 a. m. Wednesdays during Lent—Liturgy and Penitential Office 7:15 p. m. Second and Fourth Sundays in March—Eucharist, 7:30 a. m. Morning prayer, 11 a. m. Evening prayer 7:15 p. m. Palm Sunday—Eucharist, 7:30 a. m. and 11 a. m. No Sunday evening services. Feast of the Annunciation, March 25—Eucharist, 7 a. m. March 17 (Sunday)—Epworth League play at First Methodist church.

## HARRY GRAYSON

Hoop-Minded New York Would Re-Heve West of U. S. Tourney

NEW YORK, where a half dozen intercollegiate double - headers have played to 50,000 spectators this season, senses the national A. U. basketball championship tournament of 1935. Kansas City had something of a monopoly on the big show until this year, when it will be held in Denver. The Denver Piggy-Wiggly team, recruited from the Missouri Valley, is picked by many to prevail. Its lineup includes Bob Gruening, 6-foot 8-inch center, formerly with the Rosenberg array of Chicago, twice national runner-up; "One Grand" Ernie Schmidt, huge center who scored 1,000 points for the Pittsburgh, Kan. Teachers during his college career; and Jumping Jack McCracken, Duck Powell, and Jack Merrick, all products of St. Mary's (Mo.) College.

The Missouri Valley has been in the hoop game's top flight since the turn of the century. Some of its more formidable outfits of the past have been the Kansas City A. C., and the Lowe Campbells and Cook's Painters, also of Kansas City; the Hilliards of St. Joseph; the Wichita Henrys; and the Tulsa Oilers.

The Pittsburg (Kan.) Teachers, St. Mary's (Mo.) College, Washburn, and the University of Kansas, the latter coached by the progressive Phog Allen, have contributed splendid squads to the intercollegiate field.

How Will McCarthy and Ruth Hit It Off?

Now that Babe Ruth indicates that he will perform as much as he is able, baseball men wonder how he will hit it off with Joe McCarthy while openly campaigning for the Yankee managing job. . . . Between winning matches, Eleanor Sears, 53, broke up the Atlantic coast women's squash racquets championship tournament at Atlanta City to lead several debutants through 38-degree breakers for a swim. . . . Harry Kipke predicts that after two or three campaigns of over-emphasis on wide open play, football will return to the "old-fashioned" straight style. . . . The Michigan mentor and some others had better get in step. . . . Maribel Y. Vinson, U. S. champion, calls Maxie Herber, 15-year-old Munich meadchen, the world's foremost woman exhibition skater. . . . Sonja Henie has been so regarded for several years, and has taken all figure-skating titles.

Little Miss Herber makes her American debut at Madison Square Garden on March 13. . . . Miss Vinson saw her capture the German national championship last year at Garmisch-Partenkirchen, site of the winter Olympics in 1936.

Ross Must Defend Title Before McLarin Match

The New York Boxing Commission has ruled that Barney Ross must defend the lightweight leadership before taking another crack at Jimmy McLarin's welter wreath at one of the Manhattan ball parks this spring. Tony Canzoneri would like to give the Chicagoan an opportunity to clear the way. . . . A fund collected for Carl Tremaine, bantam luminary of 15 years ago, in Cleveland totaled just \$35. . . . How quickly they forget! Tremaine is in a hospital recovering from pneumonia. . . . Paul Pirone has been guaranteed \$25,000 for three starts on the other side. . . . His opponents are to be Marcel Phil, the bald Frenchman who has the best claim to the middleweight crown; Jack McAvoy, of England; and Ludwig Seelig, who left Germany due to Nazi trouble. . . . Paava Nurni has found a country where he still may run as an amateur. . . . Russia has invited the Flying Finn; Jules La Doumeque, the Frenchman who formerly held the world's mile record; and Eino Purje.

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## March Winds



Driving out to the carnival location, about 20 miles from here, I arrived in time to hear a rednecked little barker finish up his spiel with "she's wicked. . . she's wild. . . here she comes, boys!"

At this moment a wheezy old calliope began emitting a tune of vaguely Oriental origin. A close look revealed that George Burns was playing the calliope, which probably accounted for the vagueness of the tune.

Then Gracie appeared, all decked out in Turkish pantaloons and chiffer. After bowing to the audience, she went into her dance. And what a dance! An hour's perusal of a dictionary fails to supply words which will adequately describe it.

About all I can say is that I've seen a number of "cooch" dancers in my day and Gracie was no more like them than our Aunt Minnie.

From the standpoint of being funny, however, Gracie even topped W. C. Fields' famous billiard gag. No trailing half of the spectators actually were holding their stomachs, they were laughing so hard.

And just the other day we were complaining that nothing exciting ever happens in Hollywood. Perhaps this shouldn't be classified as excitement. But if not, you can have the excitement. I'll take Gracie Allen's "cooch" dance—in or out of a picture.

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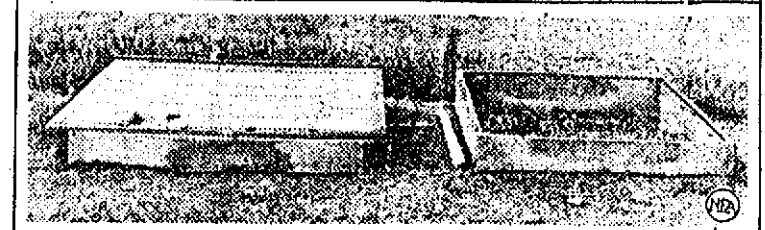
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## How Does Your Garden?

Six specialists of the New Jersey College of Agriculture and Experiment Station at Rutgers University have pooled their experience to tell you how to grow your garden successfully. They have prepared 12 illustrated articles.

BY PROF. C. H. NISSLEY  
Extension Horticulturist, N. J. College of Agriculture and Experiment Station, Rutgers University.

A loose, friable soil that will not bake is a good medium in which to grow "transplants." A mixture of one-third manure, one-third garden soil, and one-third sand is recommended.



Have the soil into which the young plants are transplanted slightly richer in plant food than the soil in which they were started as seedlings. Bone meal added at the rate of a 5-inch flower pot full to a medium-sized wheelbarrow of the prepared soil, will add the proper amount of plant food. Set the transplants so that the croch of the seed leaves is just above the ground. The roots are placed into holes, which are made either by the finger or by the use of "dibbles."

Press the ground around the roots thoroughly so that there will be no possibility of an air space surrounding them. Have the soil quite moist, since it is essential that the roots obtain an adequate water supply.

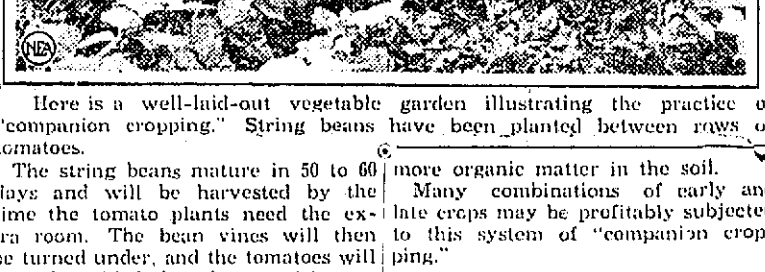
Water the plants immediately after transplanting and shade them for at least 24 to 36 hours, especially if the day is warm. If the plants are set in an outdoor cold frame, put the sash in place and place salt hay, burlap, canvas or some other kind of a covering over the glass.

A cold frame will be found of great assistance in cultivating hardy vegetable plants. It offers protection from cold weather, starts plants quicker, and results in an earlier plant. It also offers a place in which to acclimate early plants grown under controlled heat conditions to outdoor environment preparatory to garden transplanting.

It may be constructed at very little cost, using one and a quarter-inch by 12-inch cypress, spruce or rough hemlock boards from 14 to 16 feet long, placed parallel to each other, 6 feet apart.

They should run east and west with a slant of from 4 to 6 inches toward the south. This will permit more sunlight to enter the frame and will provide a means of carrying off excess rain water.

The cold frame should be protected against extreme cold either through electric heating or through the use of burlap or canvas covers, which should be properly anchored.



Here is a well-laid-out vegetable garden illustrating the practice of "companion cropping." String beans have been planted between rows of tomatoes.

The string beans mature in 50 to 60 days and will be harvested by the time the tomato plants need the extra crops may be profitably subjected to this system of "companion cropping." The bean vines will then be turned under, and the tomatoes will thus be aided by the provision of more organic matter in the soil.

Many combinations of early and late crops may be profitably subjected to this system of "companion cropping." The bean vines will then be turned under, and the tomatoes will thus be aided by the provision of more organic matter in the soil.

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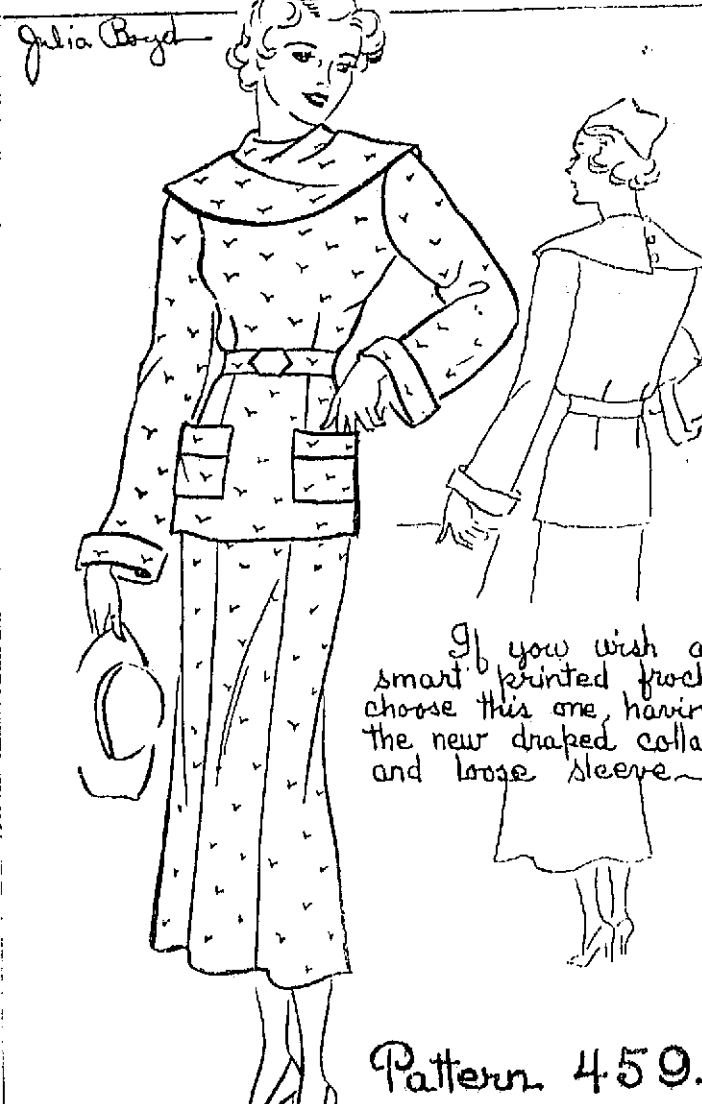
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## Today's Pattern



THE younger smart set has taken this clever creation to its heart. Darts in the overblouse at the waistline, and the skirt carries out the line of the darts by means of its panel. It should be made in satin, velvet or silk crepe. Patterns are sized 14 to 19 (29 to 37 bust). Size 13 requires 4-5 yards of 34-inch fabric.

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## Ruler of Mesopotamia

**HORIZONTAL** Answer to Previous Puzzle

1. Ruler of Mesopotamia.  
2. A famous king of this kingdom.  
3. Before.  
4. Those that read.  
5. God of the sky.  
6. You.  
7. To opt.  
8. Related.  
9. To accomplish.  
10. To marry.  
11. Every.  
12. Knock.  
13. Kilt.  
14. To bend forward.  
15. Play.  
16. To make lace.  
17. To impart elasticity.  
18. Type standard.  
19. Beam.  
20. Preposition.  
21. Almond.  
22. Reverence.  
23. Pistol.  
24. Wrong.

**VERTICAL**

1. Fundamental.  
2. Sac of silk.  
3. Sloped.  
4. Male sheep.  
5. Mineral.  
6. Your and my.  
7. To prevent.  
8. Fiber knots.  
9. To ascend.  
10. Capital of Mesopotamia.  
11. Arm ring.  
12. Idols.  
13. Wrath.  
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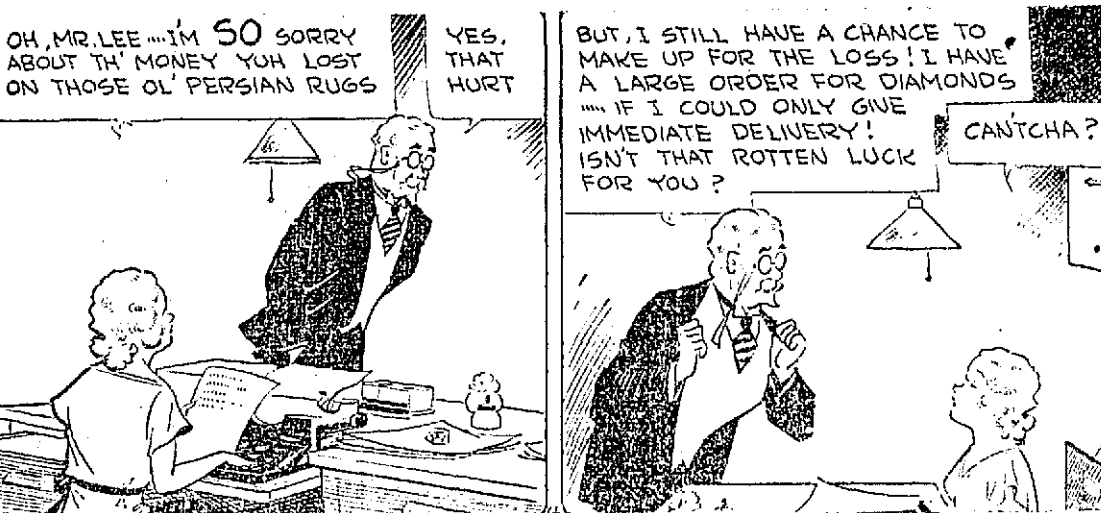
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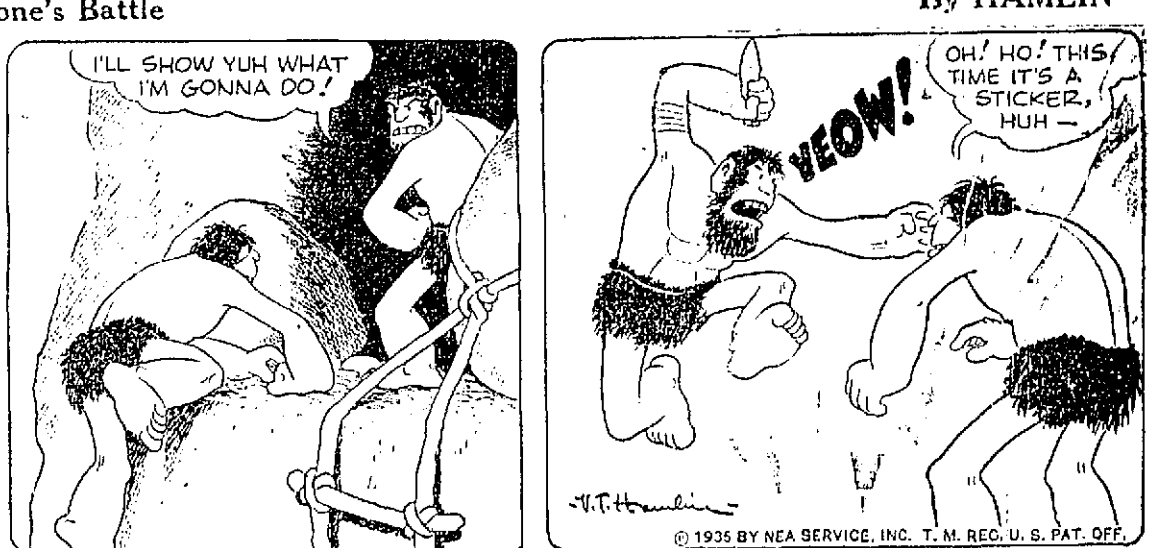
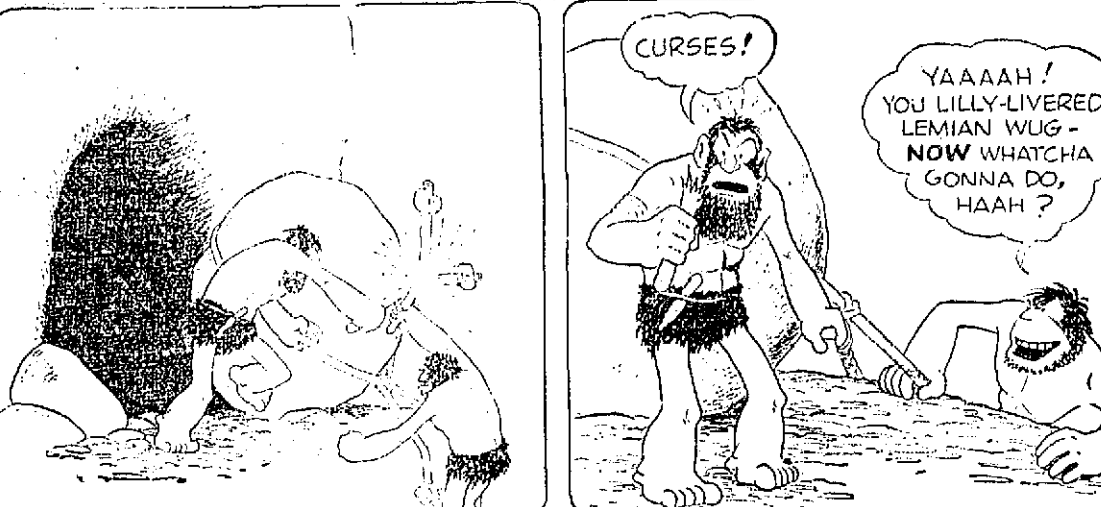
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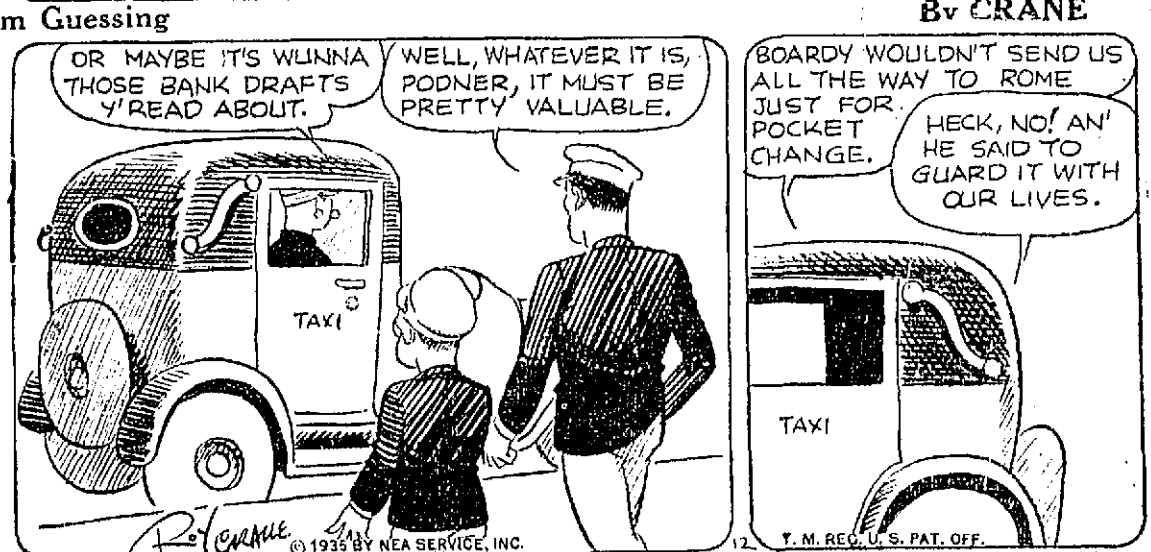
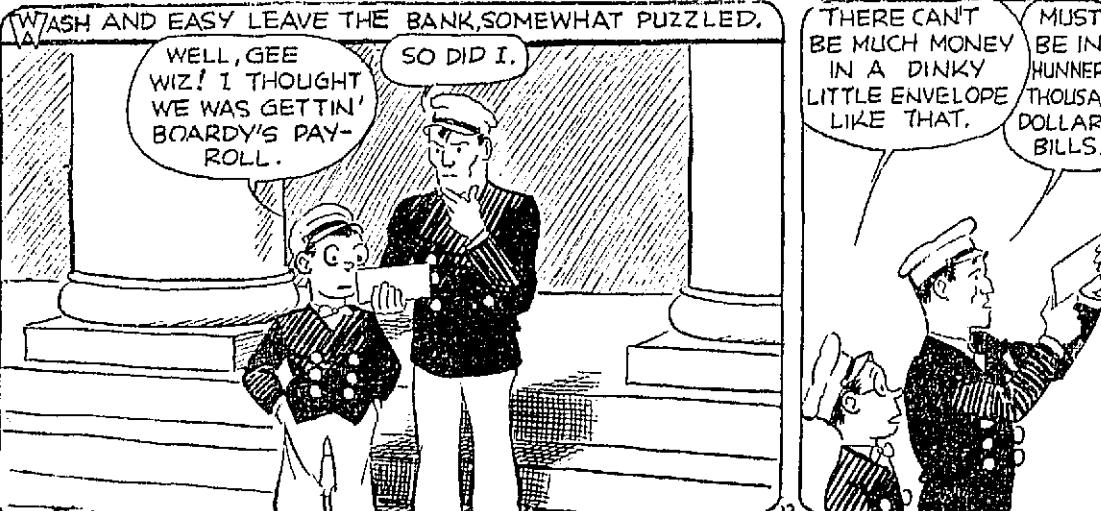
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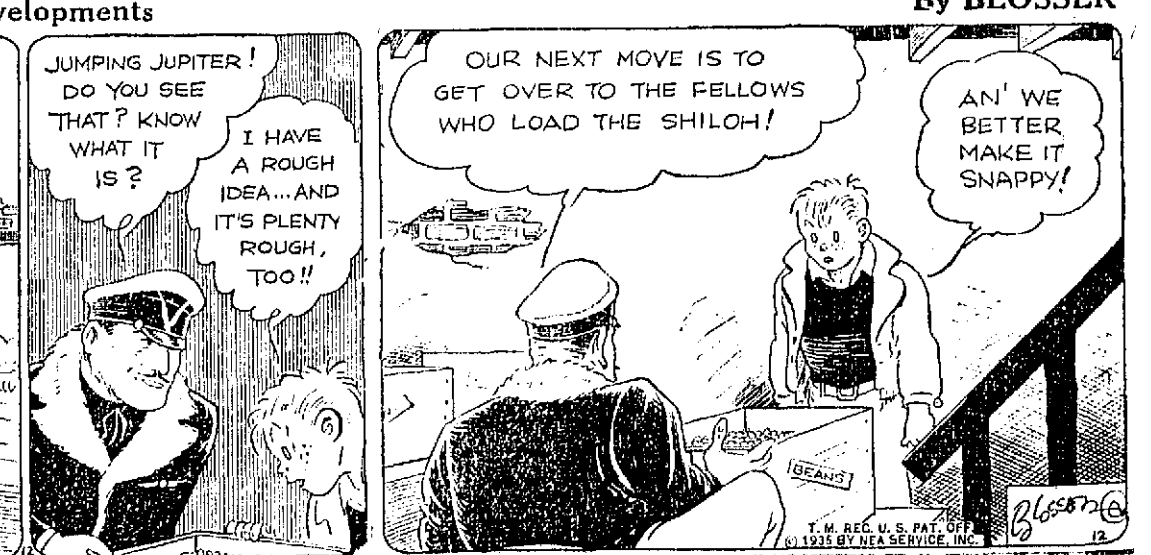
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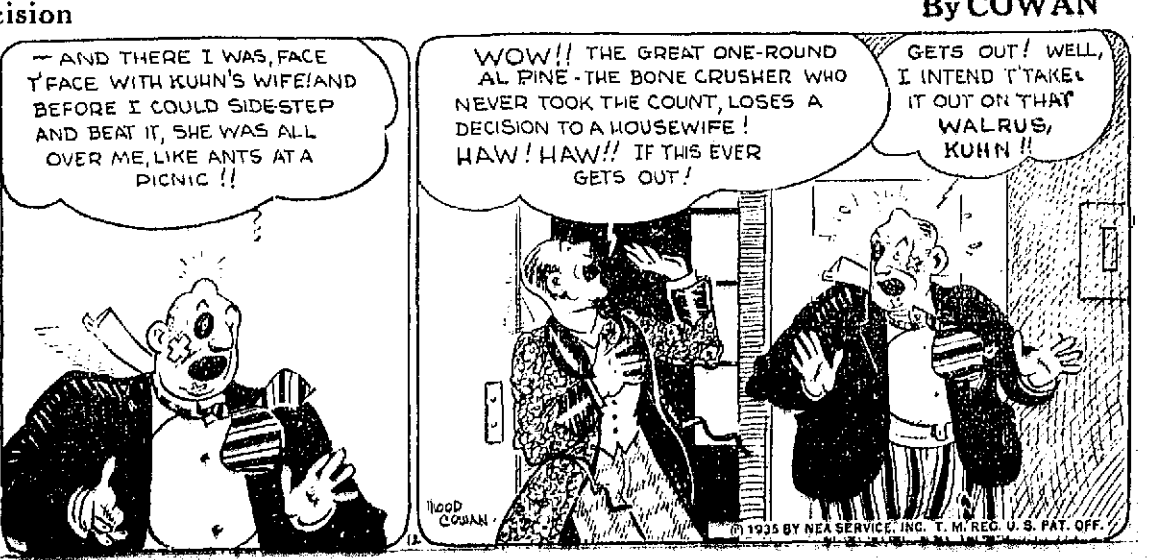
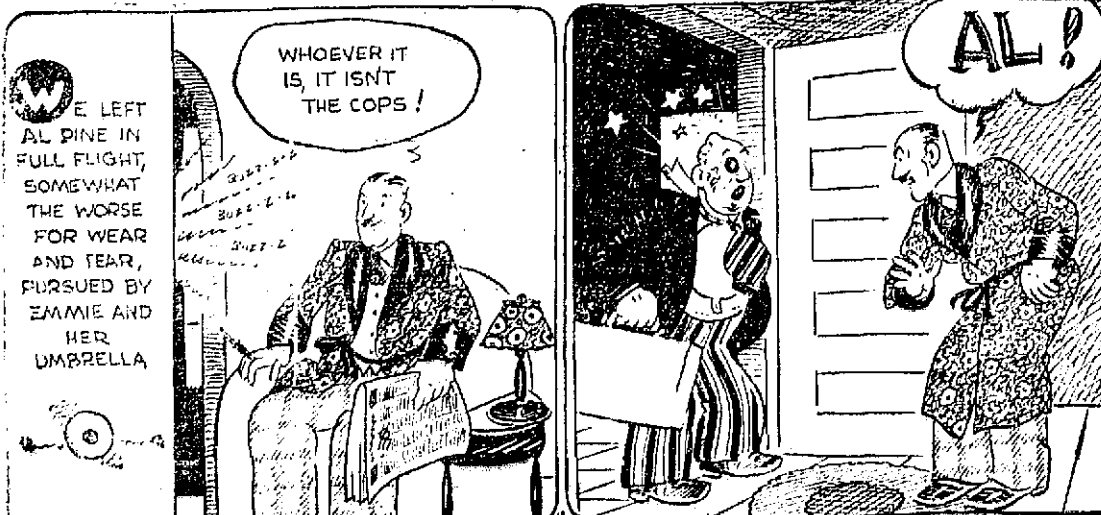
## WASH TUBBS



## FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



## THE NEWFANGLES (Mom'n Pop)



## Harmony

Folks are busy farming in this community.

Mrs. John S. Crews of Harmony passed away Tuesday night at 2 o'clock. She was laid to rest in Shover Springs cemetery.

Mrs. Jess Yarberry, Harmony school teacher, spent the week end with her husband, J. E. Yarberry of Blevins.

Mr. and Mrs. Jewell Peyton of Hope have returned to their home after spending this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Ellis and Mrs. Ella Hodnett. Mrs. Peyton has been confined to her bed with German measles, while at the home of Mrs. Hodnett.

Mr. and Mrs. George McMillen and children spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Ray McWilliams and Mr. McWilliams.

Grandmother Jeanes of Evening Shade has been spending this week with her daughter, Mrs. George McMillen and granddaughters, Mrs. Roy McWilliams and Mrs. Joe Dougherty.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Jeanes called on their sister, Irene McWillen Saturday morning.

Thad Vines and son, Howard and Luther Ellis, called on Homer Vines

near Center Point Sunday.

Mrs. Bessie Vines and children spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Merial Huckabee.

Mrs. Nellie Leach is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Martin of this place received word recently that Mrs. Robert Martin of Colorado Springs, Colo., was seriously ill, they left for Colorado Springs immediately. Word was later received by Mr. and Mrs. Martin that Mrs. Martin had passed away. The Martin family have our deepest sympathy.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Martin will make their future home at that place for the coming year.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray McWilliams spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. George McMillen. They also called on Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McWilliams a while Sunday evening.

SO THEY SAY

If we are satisfied with relief alone, we shall never achieve economic reconstruction, Senator Robert F. Wagner, New York.

While Communism might become dangerous in the navy, it certainly is not now and there seems no likelihood of its developing—Secretary of Navy Claude A. Swanson.

I can't say yet whether this is the end of polar exploration for me—Rear Admiral Richard E. Byrd.

The National Recovery Act does contain the power, if asserted to by publishers, to destroy the constitutional freedom of the press—Elisha Hanson, counsel American Newspaper Publishers' Association.

There is no such thing as a lazy child. When we find a child who appears inactive, we find that he is either physically sick or in emotional difficulties—Prof. H. W. Zorbaugh, New York University clinic director.

## NOTICE

## COMMISSIONER'S SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That in pursuance of the authority and directions contained in the decretal order of the Chancery Court of Hempstead County, Arkansas, made and entered on the 31 day of January, 1935, in a certain cause then pending therein between H. M. Stephens, complainant, and Oda Hollomon et al, defendants, the undersigned, as Commissioner of said Court, will offer for sale at public vendue to the highest bidder, at the front door or entrance to The Citizens National Bank of Hope, in the City of Hope, in Hempstead County, Arkansas, within the hours prescribed by law for judicial sales, on Saturday, the 6th day of April, 1935, the following described real estate situated in the County of Hempstead and State of Arkansas, to-wit:

All of the Northwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter (NW 1/4 SW 1/4) of Section Twenty-five (25), Township Ten (10) South, Range Twenty-four (24) West, except a strip of land lying south of the public road running east and west across said forty acres, said excepted strip or parcel of land containing 1 1/2 acres, more or less, -- 38 1/2 acres, more or less.

TERMS OF SALE: On a credit of three months, the purchaser being required to execute a bond as required by law and the order and decree of said Court in said cause, with approved security, bearing interest at the rate of ten per cent (10%) per annum from date of sale until paid, and a lien being retained on the premises sold to secure the payment of the purchase money.

Given under my hand this 9th day of March, 1935.

DALE JONES  
Commissioner in Chancery.

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Remember, the more you tell, the quicker you sell.

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## NOTICE

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## FOR SALE

Sell or Rent modern 7-room brick house at 701 Pnd street. Small down payment. Phone 877 or see H. O. Green. 12-31p

Cut lumber for sale. Apply F. L. Padditt, 3 miles south on Lewisville road. Box 350. 9-31p

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Cabbage Plants for Sale. Grown by Byers Bros. At the Curb Market. 11-4c

FOR SALE—Wood for cooking, washing and heating. Ivory Handle Co. Phone 11. 11-31p

FOR SALE—100 bushels Porto Rico sweet potato seed \$1 per bushel. Edgar Sutton, 6 miles north Emmet near Board's Chapel. 12-31p



## Greek Rebellion Believed Crushed

Venizelos Abandons Main Fight, But Will Declare Crete Independent

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ATHENS, Greece.—(AP)—The insurrection is definitely crushed in Macedonia and Thrace and Gen. George Kondylis, leader of the government forces, is returning to Athens, the government announced Monday night.  
The rebels, on the eleventh day of the revolt, have been driving from the principal strongholds in Seres, Drama, Kavalla, Demirhisar, Kofini, and Dede Agach, the announcement added.  
The cruiser Helle is in government hands, and flying a white flag, is nearing the harbor at Kavalla.  
It was indicated, although not confirmed, that former Premier Eleutherios Venizelos, leader of the rebellion in Crete, has accepted the defeat of his Macedonian and Thrace followers and will proclaim Crete a separate state.  
The Helle was reported to be severely damaged, with four holes ripped in her plates during a bombardment. The fate of M. Panayotopoulos, second in command of the rebels, remained somewhat obscure although the governor of Thrace had reported that he killed himself.  
Gen. Demetrius Kamanos had crossed the Bulgarian border with 18 brother rebel officers along with the governor of Thrace and surrendered himself to Bulgarian authorities.

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## Invites World to Great Fair



The alluring smile that welcomes the world to the California Pacific International Exposition is flashed by Senorita Florenz Kelton, chosen as the perfect "poster girl" type to represent the Spanish atmosphere of the fair, which will open in San Diego on May 29. Senorita Kelton is a noted dancer.

## Dispensary Loses in Texas Senate

Dual Submission Idea Rejected 18-5 and 19-5 in Upper House

AUSTIN, Texas.—(AP)—The Texas senate Monday rejected two plans proposing a state monopoly dispensary system for control of liquor traffic in event of prohibition repeal.  
One plan to require a monopoly was rejected, 18 to 5, with two pairs and later the senate killed another, 19 to 5, which would have submitted the dual question of repeal with or without a monopoly.  
Debate on the dual submission proposal, by Senator Grady Woodruff of Decatur, was cut off as opponents moved to table.  
Under his plan, Texas voters would have chosen between repeal with the legislature empowered to regulate liquor traffic without a prescribed method and repeal with a monopoly required.  
With rejection of the monopoly plans, another substitute for the original repeal resolution by Senator Weaver Moore of Houston was offered by Senator Olan R. Van Zandt of Tioga. It would empower the legislature to regulate liquor traffic, provide for local option and ban open saloons.

## Warrants to Be Taken for Taxes

Judge Bush Hands Down Ruling in Miller County Case

TEXARKANA.—Holders of 1935 Miller county scrip or warrants can tender same to Tax Collector Lea Williamson in part payment of their taxes, it was ruled in a hearing Tuesday morning before Circuit Judge Dexter Bush.  
Under the ruling the collector can accept in payment of taxes so much of the scrip as can be credited to the general fund of the county.  
The suit was an order of the order of County Judge Milton Oats issued January 7, this year, calling in all warrants back of January 1, 1935, for check as to whether or not they were legally issued; that is, whether they were issued in excess of revenues for the year in which issued.  
In other words that scrip or warrants issued in 1935 cannot be paid out of 1934 revenues, or that issued in 1934 cannot be paid out of 1935 revenues.  
To definitely settle the status of 1935 scrip as regards tax payments, County Clerk Raymond Scoggins filed a mandamus suit against Lea Williamson, county collector, to compel acceptance of a 1935 warrant issued to Sheriff Tom Sewell as part payment of taxes. Williamson, in order to get a court ruling, had refused to accept the scrip and the friendly suit was then instituted.  
Williamson accepted service and waived his time rights as to trial to get a quick decision, as the best method of clarifying the situation. It must be understood that no scrip nor warrants issued prior to 1935 can be paid in on taxes, the collector stated Tuesday, as these are under a recall order of the county court and therefore cannot be paid until such time as the court declares them valid.  
On the recall order 2037 pieces have been turned in to date to the county clerk for registry, totaling \$36,723.13. There is still approximately \$10,000 outstanding. This must be in the hands of the clerk by April 22 or it will automatically become invalid and subject to cancellation.

## Germany Admits Having Air Fleet

Goering Confirms Existence of Force Under His Command

BERLIN.—(AP)—The German public received its first official information Tuesday that the reich's military air force is already in existence.  
Wilhelm Goering, minister of aviation, confirmed the long prevailing rumors and announced he would head the air force as "general of fliers."  
It also became known that Germany's civilian "air sport" association has been placed under the direct orders of the reichswehr (regular army), thus becoming an integral part of the reich's defense forces.  
It was declared on good authority that the action departed from the provisions of the air clauses of the treaty of Versailles. Military attaches of the powers signatory to the treaty, it was said, would be officially informed of the change March 23.  
In acknowledging that Germany has an air fleet, Goering said:  
"Our willingness to participate actively in safeguarding world peace—our promise to come to the aid of a threatened country without an air fleet—necessitated the creation of military aviation should our promise not remain an empty phrase."  
The aviation minister's reference was to Germany's agreement to support the defensive air pacts contemplated in the Anglo-French accord.  
The new air fleet was said to have been placed under Goering's command with a clear separation between military and commercial aviation.

## Tax Publicity Is Put Up to Senate

Repeal of Pink Slip Measure Carries House by Big Vote

WASHINGTON.—(AP)—The pink slip repeal drive advanced into somewhat more difficult terrain Tuesday after sweeping through a jubilant house by a vote of 302 to 98 Monday.  
The senate—where this law to kill income tax publicity has now arrived—by the chamber which initiated the publicity move last year. Although an unofficial poll has indicated sufficient senate strength to follow the house's repudiation of the idea of making certain income tax figures public records, repealists concede they now are facing opposition. There was no definite word as to when the test will come.  
"I want to expedite it," said Chairman Pat Harrison of the senate finance committee, discussing the repeal bill, "but I don't want to interfere with the relief bill now pending in the senate."  
Harrison said he had been advised by Secretary Morgenthau there could be no publicity of March 15 tax returns before October 1 and therefore there was no great hurry.  
During the house debate, which ended in roaring opposition to the "slip," Representative Blanton (O., Texas) led the charge against repeal, telling his democratic friends it was not an administration measure and predicting: "You're going to see the senate kill it as dead as hector and leave you suspended in mid-air."  
All the many complaints which for weeks have poured in upon the house were reiterated during the debate. Members contended the exposure of the information demanded—gross income, exemptions and tax paid—would stimulate "snooping" and place busi-

## Europe Goes for Streamlining, Too



Europe is no whit behind America in the race for going the limit in streamlining its automobiles. Here are shown new models displayed at the International Automobile Exhibition in Berlin, as they were driven through the streets. The building in the background is the Kaiser Wilhelm Memorial church.

ness men at the mercy of prying competitors.  
Both democrats and republicans joined to oppose the slip. Representative O'Connor (D., N. Y.), chairman of the rules committee, and Republican Leader Snell of New York led the arguments for repeal.  
Two men walked into a shoe store in New York's theatrical district and pointed guns at the manager. A bell rang. The men paled with fright, ran out. It was the telephone.  
A soybean year in drought stricken sections of the mid-west is urged by the federal agricultural department to compensate for the shortage of seed for hay and pasture crops.  
A copper vessel containing 11,000 silver coins of the eleventh century, including pieces from Germany, Saxony, Denmark, Italy, Persia and central Asia, was found buried in a forest near Lake Ladoga, U. S. S. R.  
Should oil beds become depleted, science might manufacture gasoline from lignite, says Dr. R. A. Bortner, chief of the division of agricultural biochemistry at University Farm, St. Paul, Minn.

## Coughlin Angrily Replies to Critics

Priest Attacks Baruch Also, in Answering General Johnson

DETROIT.—(AP)—Picturing Hugh S. Johnson as a "chocolate soldier" playing the role of "Man Friday" to Bernard Baruch, the Rev. Charles E. Coughlin replied Monday night to the former NRA administrator's "Pied Piper" speech.  
"The money-changers whom the priest of priests drove out of the temple of Jerusalem," said Father Coughlin, "have marshalled their forces behind the leadership of a chocolate soldier for the purpose of driving a priest out of public affairs."  
Father Coughlin's reply was made in a 45-minute radio speech over the same network Johnson used at New York last week to call him and Senator Huey P. Long "two mad pied pipers" appealing to "the lunatic fringe of the people."  
After hearing the speech in Washington, Johnson replied that it was all "pious flimflam." He said Father Coughlin and Senator Long are "economic shysters."  
Father Coughlin expanded his rebuttal to take in Baruch, the "Warburgs, the Morgans, the Kuhn-Loebes and the rest of that wrecking crew of internationalists whose god is gold and whose emblem is the red seal of exploitation."  
He declared he would "oppose these men until my dying days."  
Baruch, he said, was the "uncrowned prince of Wall street," the "unofficial acting president of the United States."  
After declaring that Johnson was a "political corpse"—the "first great casualty of the new deal," Father Coughlin answered one phase of Johnson's speech of a week ago ques-

tioning his citizenship.  
"My dear general," he said, "I am as much if not more an American citizen as you are or ever will be. Your parents are but one generation removed from Ireland. My paternal grandfather's bones are buried in Lackawanna New York. I was always an American citizen." He explained that he was born of American parents on Canadian soil.  
In asserting his right to speak on political and economic topics, Father Coughlin declared: "Someone irrespective of his Catholicity, or of his Protestantism, or of his Jewish faith, was required to raise his voice, if for no other reason than to condemn those who refusing to leave this land of sorrow, obstructed our passage to the land of prosperity. In accepting the dignities which my religion conferred upon me, I sacrifice in no respect the rights identified with my citizenship."  
A new non-combustible motor, designed especially for the boats of a coast guard unit engaged in chasing liquor smugglers, has been tried out successfully under the supervision of a government committee. The motors are of the low-pressure naphtha variety, requiring no carburetor.  
The black widow spider is about half an inch long, a quarter inch wide and coal black and shiny, with a red 'po' on her abdomen shaped like an hour glass.  
One of last year's worst forest fires in the Pacific states, a 15,000-acre blaze in Washington, burned through a stand of Douglas fir that was killed in 1930 by the tussock moth.

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### Prescott Host to Medical Meeting

100 Physicians to Attend Joint Session There on Tuesday

More than 100 physicians and surgeons were expected to attend a joint meeting of the Sixth Council Medical Society and the Tri-County Medical Society at Prescott Tuesday.

Some of the leading physicians in the state are listed on the program, to be held at the Nevada county courthouse.

The public is urged to attend the closing session Tuesday night when Dr. J. D. Riley of Booneville, will discuss tuberculosis. A motion picture film on "cancer control," will be shown at that time.

The day's program:

Morning session:  
Address, Dr. F. O. Mahony of El Dorado.

"Errors in Treatment of Fracture of the Long Bones," Dr. Guy A. Caldwell of Shreveport, La.

"Personal Ideas of the Prestatic Question," Dr. Wm. Hibbitts of Texarkana.

Afternoon session:  
"Common Skin Diseases," Dr. Geo. F. Jackson of Little Rock.

"Care and Feeding of Infants," Dr. E. C. Mitchell of Memphis.

"Cancer of the Large Bowel," Dr. H. W. Hundling of Little Rock.

Subject to be announced, Dr. S. B. Hinkle of Little Rock.

"Undulant Fever," Dr. S. C. Fulmer of Little Rock.

"Streptococcal Infection and Septicemia," Mrs. M. J. Kilbury of Little Rock.

Evening session:  
"Tuberculosis," Dr. J. D. Riley of the State Sanitarium at Booneville, Arkansas.

"Cancer Control," a motion picture film.

Dr. A. S. Buchanan is president of the sixth Council District Society and Dr. A. W. Hudson is president of the Tri-County Society. The program committee for the joint meeting is: Dr. A. B. Dickey, chairman; Dr. J. B. Hesterly and Dr. L. J. Kosminsky of Texarkana.

### Sits on Top Rung of Films' Ladder



A little French girl who wasn't especially thrilled at her first stage chance and whose father bitterly opposed her "play acting" today sits enthroned on the top rung of Blonday's ladder of fame. From a three-line part in a play 10 years ago, Claudette Colbert, above, rose to win the Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences award for 1934, sharing the honor with Clark Gable for their performances in "It Happened One Night."

### Dodge Sales Show Increase of 73%

Retail Deliveries Make Big Gain for Week Ending March 2

DETROIT, Mich.—Retail sales made by dealers of the Dodge Division of Chrysler Motors—which have shown steady gains since the beginning of the season—took another energetic upturn during the week ending March 2.

The week's deliveries, as tabulated by the office of general sales manager A. vanDerZee, amounted to 5,762 Dodge and Plymouth passenger cars and 965 Dodge commercial cars and trucks, or a total of 6,727 new vehicles. This sales volume represents a gain of 371 vehicles or 5.3 per cent over the business of the preceding week in which 6,356 units were delivered at retail. Compared to retail deliveries recorded for the corresponding period of 1934, sales for the week ending March 2 were 73.1 per cent ahead.

January 1 to March 2 deliveries so far reported by Dodge dealers outrun sales for the like period of last year by 82.2 per cent with 45,789 vehicles as against 25,128.

An interesting sidelight in the latest of Dodge dealers' sales reports is afforded by additional figures detailing used-car sales made by the organization; these, for the week ending March 2, amounted to 5,396 cars and 572 trucks, making a total of 5,968 vehicles—17 more than in the previous week, 2,410 more than in the same week of 1934.

Of significance among the weekly sales comments made by the Dodge Division's sales chief is one dealing with the increasing number of so-called virgin automobile purchases, made by customers who have become income earners for the first time since the depression and now furnish a growing quota of sales involving no trade-ins. Buyers of this classification, vanDerZee finds, are becoming an important automobile selling factor, from which an appreciable portion of 1935 sales will be recruited.

The sum of \$3,000 in bills of large denomination was found in the home of the late W. H. Murphy of McMinnville, Tenn., who died without leaving a will.

A 10,000-watt sister station to the 75-watt transmitter XEPN, near Piedras Negras, Mexico, is being constructed nearby at El Centinela plantation.

An oil well in Jefferson Davis parish, Louisiana, that accidentally became ignited, shot flames in the air that could be seen at night 50 miles away.

Wholeheartedly I return home to Boston and New England to complete my life job among friends who have given me their affection and loyal support.—Babe Ruth.

### Queen of Miami Beach Beauties



Jessie Smith, 18, dark-haired, dark-eyed, with a few piquant freckles across her nose—bearing the trophy won in competition with 255 other girls at the Miami Biltmore Country club.

Trappers in Louisiana report an unusual scarcity of muskrats in the coastal marshlands this season.

### Ouida Keeton Gets Life for Murder

Mississippi Woman Found Guilty in Slaying of Mother

LAUREL, Miss.—(AP)—A Jones county circuit court jury here Tuesday found Ouida Keeton guilty in charged with recommendation of life imprisonment in her trial on charges of murdering her mother Mrs. Daisy Keeton. Judge W. Joe Pack immediately sentenced the defendant to a life term in the state penitentiary.

The case was given to the jury Monday after a two week's trial in which the defense claimed insanity for the young woman and the state sought to show that she took part in a "fendish" slaying of her mother last January 19 and aided in cutting up and disposing of the body.

W. M. Carter, 61-year-old Laurel socialite and former employer of Ouida was expected to appear in court here Tuesday for his counsel to enter a motion for an immediate trial for him on joint charges of murder in the slaying of Mrs. Keeton.

A confession of Ouida, introduced by the state accused Carter of being the actual slayer.

### NRA Annual Cost About 41 Million

Levying of Code Expense Believed Voluntary Rather Than Legal

WASHINGTON —(AP)—The annual cost of operating NRA's vast code structure was estimated at \$41,000,000 Monday by Donald R. Richberg.

The recovery co-ordinator gave this figure to the senate finance committee, where he occupied the witness stand for the third successive session.

Senator Byrd (D-Va.), frequent administration critic, asked about the cost of operating NRA's 700 codes.

Richberg said he would furnish a detailed list, but estimated the aggregate at \$41,000,000 a year or less than one per cent of the sales involved.

Clark (D-Mo) asked if the code authorities in raising this money were "exercising the right, in effect, to levy taxes."

"I don't think they have the authority," Richberg said, explaining that in most cases he believed the costs were met by voluntary contributions.

H. G. Whitehouse, Omaha, Neb., has 112 clocks in his home.



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### First Wife Pens Attacks in Senate



In a deep study sits Jean Ackers, first wife of Rudolph Valentino, pondering the double task which she has set herself—a comeback in the films and the writing of a book in which Valentino will play a prominent part. Miss Ackers, who lost her fortune in the 1929 crash, already has won a role in a film now being produced.

Estherville, Ia., anglers claim fish crowd so thickly around holes chipped in ice on a stream there that they can be captured with bare hands.

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### Attacks in Senate

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The committee directed him to furnish a detailed report on costs of administering codes, names of industrial representatives who participated in drafting codes, the effect on NRA on interest and dividends and much other data.

Richberg first submitted a table showing increases in employment and payrolls among 62 industries, since March, 1933, when the Roosevelt administration began. His figures showed sharp rises for the bituminous coal industry, the chemical industry and many others.

Questioned on Drop  
Senator Hastings, Republican, Delaware, adding up the Richberg figures, computed that the high mark of employment in the 62 industries was 7,089,000, but that the employees in December or January, depending upon when the last figures were collected, totaled only 5,975,000. Richberg replied that employment for a particular month did not represent the total for the year.

Senator Byrd, Democrat, Virginia, asked why current unemployment estimates were more than a million above the estimated 9,000,000 in May, 1934. Richberg contended that the figures on unemployment were only estimates and needed "interpretation."

### Cotton Holds Own

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be made next fall on the crop now being planted.

Subsidized Exports Urged  
Thomas' "cheap money" assertion brought forward the suggestion that the United States subsidize exports of cotton in the same way that it handled surplus wheat from the Pacific Northwest in 1934.

Smith said he hoped to have a plan perfected this week "for the impounding of at least the 5,500,000 bales that the government has an equity in, and prohibit any hedging against it or any sale of a single bale of it previous to December 1, 1935, with a provision of still further extending its impounding until the price and the export trade justify its sale.

"These are very definite objectives that we can control and the trade may understand now as well as any other time that we propose to do this," he said.

At the AAA, officials said that to follow such a course would put the old Farm Board which bought and held off the market vast quantities of commodities.

Policies Unchanged  
Chester C. Davis, AAA administrator, said that no change in the administration's cotton adjustment or loan programs was contemplated.

"The programs are going to be continued as planned," Davis said. "There is nothing in the policy of the cotton producer's pool which would in any way affect the market and there is not the slightest intention of abandoning the loan program covering the 1934 crop."

Forty-six states, the District of Columbia and eight foreign countries were represented by at least one bride or bridegroom in marriage licenses issued in Reno during 1934.

Agriculture, long the leading employer in Florida, now ranks in second place because of the expansion of manufacturing and mechanical industries, reports the University of Florida.